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EXAMINER: MARSHALL, S.

FOR: CYCLIC HEXAPEPTIDES HAVING ANTIBIOTIC ACTIVITY

AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the outstanding Office Action issued June 5, 1998, entry of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested. The amendment does not raise any new issues and serves to place the application in better form for appeal by reducing or simplifying the issues.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-16 and 19.

Please add the following new Claims:

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